



IFW\$

certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: September 1, 2004 Signature: _____

(Marcus J. Millet)

Docket No.: TESSERA 3.0-328
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Bang et al.

Application No.: 10/656,534

Group Art Unit: 2826

Filed: September 5, 2003

Examiner: A. O. Williams

For: COMPONENTS, METHODS AND
ASSEMBLIES FOR STACKED PACKAGES

RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTION OF SPECIES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

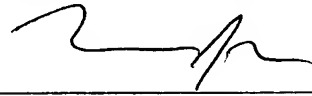
This communication is in response to the Official Action mailed July 29, 2004. A petition for a one-month extension of the term for response to the Official Action, to and including September 29, 2004, is transmitted herewith.

The sole requirement in the Official Action is a requirement for election of species. In response to this requirement, applicant elects the species of Figs. 1-5 for prosecution in the present application. Figs. 1-5 constitute drawings of the same species in different stages of assembly; see paragraphs 0016-0020 of the present specification. The claims readable on the elected species are claims 1-13 inclusive; 17-21 inclusive; 24-32 inclusive; and 35-45 inclusive.

If there are any additional charges in connection with this requested amendment, the Examiner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

Dated: September 1, 2004

Respectfully submitted,



By _____
Marcus J. Millet
Registration No.: 28,241
LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG,
KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP
600 South Avenue West
Westfield, New Jersey 07090
(908) 654-5000

Attorney for Applicant

512620_1.DOC